Demolition of Houses in Belgaum City Municipal Area

444 (650)SRI B. B. SAYANAK (Belgaum) Will the Minister for Law and Municipal Administration be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the Municipal authorities had demolished 20 houses in Belgaum City Municipal area in the months of November and December 1975 ;

(*b*) if so, the reason ;

(*c*) whether many houses have been constructed in Azam-Nagar without permission from the Municipality ;

(*d*) if so, the number of such houses demolished by the Municipal Authority ;

(*e*) whether it is a fact that a permanent masonry work is going on in S. No. 1364/A in plot No. 27 on a sanctioned Road ?

SRI D. K. NAIKAR.—Minister for Law and Municipal Administration.

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) Does not arise.

(*e*) No.

CALLING ATTENTION TO MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

(*i*) *re : atrocities by Police Kemmannagundi on 14th March 1976*

SRI M. MALLAPPA (Birur),— Madam Speaker, I call the attention of the Hon'ble Chief Minister about the atrocities committed by the Police on respectable citizens on 14th March 1976 at Kemmannagundi.

SRI H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works).— Madam Speaker, on behalf of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, I would like to make the following statement:

On 13th March 1976, the Superintendent of Police, Chikmagalur, received information that the members of the Chikmagalur Friends Recreation Club (CFRA) had proceeded to Kemmannagundi and were indulging in gambling. On receipt of information, the Superintendent of Police, Chikmagalur, accompanied by the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Chikmagalur, and staff proceeded to Kemmannagundi along